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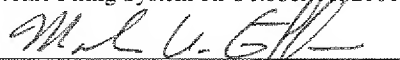
The undersigned attorney for the applicant identified above requests an indication of the status of processing of this application.

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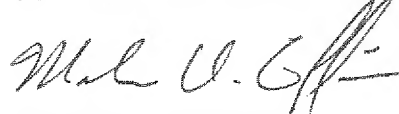


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